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Attorney Docket No.	1945/A47
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Title	See 1 in Addendum
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Addendum

1. Detection of Neutrons and Sources of Radioactive Material

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Lee Grodzins, Peter Rothschild

Application No.: Not assigned

Group No.: Not assigned

Filed: Herewith

Examiner: Not assigned

For: Detection of Neutrons and Sources of Radioactive Material

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Practitioner's Docket No. 1945/A18

PATENT

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In re application of: Lee Grodzins
Application No.: 09/818,987
Filed: March 27, 2001
For: Detection of Fissile Material

Group No.: 3641
Examiner: Keith, Jack W.

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AMENDMENT, PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
TO MAINTAIN PARENT CASE THAT IS TO BE ABANDONED
WHEN FILING NEW APPLICATION CLAIMING ITS BENEFIT

1. The amendment in this case is a *bona fide* attempt by applicant to respond and to advance this application to final action. It comprises a separately filed continuation-in-part application.

A copy of this amendment and petition is being filed with the papers constituting the filing of the separately filed application.

2. This is a petition under 37 C.F.R. section 1.136(a) for an extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed July 1, 2003.

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3. Please abandon this application conditioned upon the granting of the petition and the granting of a filing date to the continuing application, so as to make the continuing application copending with this application. (*Notice of May 13, 1983, 1031 O.G. 11-12*).

4. Applicant is a small entity.

The statement has already been filed in the parent application. This status is still proper and its benefit under 37 C.F.R. section 1.28(a) is hereby claimed.

5. Extension requested

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. section 1.136 apply.

Applicant petitions for an extension of three months time under 37 C.F.R. section 1.136(a) (fees: 37 C.F.R. section 1.17(a)(1)-(4)) for three months:

Fee: \$475.00

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